## House Resolution No. 4288

Whereas, it is with tremendous respect and admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause in their diverse daily endeavors in order to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of educators from the Show-Me State who have devoted their time and energy to helping each generation of students in local communities and neighborhoods prepare for future roles as societal leaders; and

Whereas, Dr. Larry Hayes has attained considerable distinction as a student athlete, high school and college coach, and school administrator in a career which stretched from 1949 to 1989; and

**Whereas**, on Thursday, October 2, 2003, Dr. Larry Hayes will add to his already impressive record of accomplishment when he is inducted into the Webb City R-VII School District Hall of Fame at the Webb City Area Chamber of Commerce Banquet at Webb City High School facilities; and

Whereas, Dr. Larry Hayes is one of only two Hall of Fame alumni inductees who were selected by the Webb City Area Chamber of Commerce this year based on their illustrious career achievements in the field of education; and

Whereas, a member of the Oklahoma A&M College (now Oklahoma State University) basketball team which took First Place in the 1945 national championships and Runner-up in 1949, Dr. Larry Hayes served with distinction as a basketball coach at North Little Rock High School, freshman coach at Texas A&M, freshman coach and golf coach at A&M Consolidated High School, Director of Research for Oklahoma City Public Schools, Assistant Dean of the College of Education at OSU, and Vice Chancellor for the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education; and

**Whereas**, the beloved husband of the former Maggie Parks, Dr. Larry Hayes is the father of Larry, Jr., Mark, Jim, and Dan:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Dr. Larry Hayes for induction into the Webb City R-VII School District Hall of Fame and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Dr. Larry Hayes of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Offered by

Representative Bryan P. Stevenson
District No. 128

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of
Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First
Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and
correct copy of House Resolution No. 4288, adopted
September 30, 2003.